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For: **PLANT CELLS AND PLANTS
WHICH SYNTHESIZE A STARCH
WITH AN INCREASED FINAL
VISCOSITY**

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Amendment to the sequence listing is presented on page 2 of this paper;

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3
of this paper; and

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